

ST. GEORGE LITTLE ATHLETIC CENTRE.

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

MORTDALE R.S.L. CLUB, MACQUARIE PL., MORTDALE.

20TH MAY, 1985.

AGENDA:

- a) OPENING OF MEETING AND OFFICIAL WELCOME.
- b) APOLOGIES.
- c) ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF THIRTEENTH A.G.M.
- d) PRESENTATION AND ADOPTION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT.
- e) PRESENTATION AND ADOPTION OF REPORT.
- f) ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS.

- 1) CHAIRMAN
- 2) VICE-CHAIRMAN & CLUB LIAISON OFFICER
- 3) SECRETARY
- 4) TREASURER
- 5) REGISTRAR
- 6) PUBLICITY & PUBLIC RELATIONS
- 7) COACHING & EDUCATION
- 8) ORGANISATION & INSTRUCTION OF OFFICIALS
- 9) TECHNICAL AND EQUIPMENT
- 10) GROUND MAINTENANCE
- 11) CHAMPIONSHIPS & SPECIAL MEETINGS
- 12) INTERCLUB TRACK & FIELD COMPETITION
- 13) FUND RAISING AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES
- 14) RECORDS & RANKINGS
- 15) CANTEEN

g) VOTE OF THANKS TO OUTGOING EXECUTIVE.

h) CLOSING OF MEETING.

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Minutes of the Thirteenth Annual General Meeting of St. George Little Athletic Centre, held at Mortdale R.S.L. Club on 2nd May, 1984.

Welcome to: Alderman Bryan McDonald Hurstville Municipal Council  
Mr. Max Wilkinson Co-Ordinator Southern Metropolitan Zone  
Mr. Fred Scott Founder and Patron Life Member  
Mrs. Bev Scott Life Member  
Mr. Bob Hinten Illawong  
Mr. Michael O'Hehir President Illawong  
Mr. Grahame Buddle Illawong  
Mr. John Burne Port Hacking  
Mr. Laurie Holland Port Hacking  
Mr. Peter Power Port Hacking  
Mrs. Helen Atzemis President Port Hacking  
Mrs. Jacquie Montague President St. George W.A.A.C.  
All parents and Friends.

APOLOGIES: Ald. Marie Picarra H.M.C., Mr. Bill Hart, Mrs. Anne Smith Port Hacking, Mr. Peter Shinnick L.A.A.N.S.W., Ald. Bert O'Connor Mayor, Mr. Roger Dummett Rockdale Youth Club, Mr. & Mrs. Noel Magnay past Executives, Mrs. Irene Lindwall past Executive, Mrs. Shirley Knight Sec. St. George W.A.A.C.

ATTENDANCE: as per Attendance book.

Minutes of the Twelfth Annual General Meeting were circulated read and passed as true record of that meeting.

Moved Ron Nelson                      Seconded Margaret McDermott                      Carried.  
Chairman apologised for incomplete report as there was a delay at the printers, full report will be available as soon as possible.

Presentation of Partial Report.

Presentation of Financial Statement.

Ald. Bryan McDonald addressed the meeting with thanks for his invitation, he congratulated the Executive and Clubs for their efforts during the year. The problems with the ground were sorted out and added that a ground Maintenance Officer was a good move, this would help liaison between Council and Centre as Council doors are always open. Ald. McDonald suggested that the Centre keep in touch with the Dept. of Sport and Recreation and guaranteed Council Support for any application for grants. The biggest problem facing all Councils is the tremendous use of grounds, there are not enough parks to cater to all demands. A lot of co-operation is needed from all associations and perhaps a combined committee for park use could be formed. Congratulations on another successful year.

John Burne then took the floor to address the meeting. Congratulations on your report, look forward to getting full report later, pleased to see a healthy financial position. Some Centres don't agree on accumulating funds but it is nice to have some when needed. In comparison to other sports Little Athletics is very reasonable. Perhaps we should to towards up grading costs as many Councils are contemplating a user pays system. Thanks for your co-operation with Port Hacking Centre it's good to know we can always rely on St. George for assistance. Looking forward to taking over as Zone Co-ordinator from Max Wilkinson and hope to carry on his good work. It's a top Zone like to keep it that way.  
On behalf of Port Hacking and myself all the best for the coming season.

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Max Wilkinson then offered his congratulations on a very successful season. Registrations were slightly down but should improve next season in view of an Olympic Year. Thanks for your Centre's support over the last two years and I'm sure John Burne will have your continued support.

The Chairman then invited Mr. Fred Scott to comment on the Report. Fred congratulated the Centre and said he was very pleased to see the children going to Preston. Proud to see the H.H. Brenen and R.S. Honey Trophy on display. Notice that numbers are down a little but with Olympic Year plan for 50% increase.

Paul Reeves thanked Bob Molloy for auditing the Financial Statement. Acceptance of Annual Report and Financial Statement.

Moved: Gwen Taylor                      Seconded: Byron Griffiths                      Carried.

Fred then called upon Byron Griffiths to receive the thanks of the Centre for his many years of involvement in the form of Life Membership.

A stunned and emotional Byron accepted the award, being a man of few words he first thanked his wife Ann for her support and many thanks to all at the Centre and Fred for his kind words.

#### ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

Chairman:-                      Ian Sheerin nominated - Accepted  
                                    Paul Reeves nominated - Declined  
                                    Byron Griffiths nominated - Declined  
                                    Ian Sheerin Elected

Vice Chairman:-                      Joe Watchorn nominated - Accepted

Secretary:-                      Barbara Lea nominated - Declined  
                                    Dianne St. Baker nominated - Declined  
                                    Amelia Revithiadis nominated - Accepted  
                                    Amelia Revithiadis Elected

Treasurer:-                      Margaret Zerzvadse nominated - Accepted

Registrar:-                      Barbara Lea nominated - Accepted  
                                    Gwen Taylor nominated - Declined  
                                    Barbara Lea Elected

Publicity:-                      Paul Reeves nominated - Declined  
                                    Verna Orchard nominated - Declined  
                                    Margaret De Marco nominated - Declined  
                                    Leigh Allen nominated - Declined  
                                    Linda White was nominated second time round  
                                    Accepted and was unanimously Elected.

Coaching:-                      Bonnie West nominated - Accepted  
                                    Bruce Lindwall nominated - Declined  
                                    John Gilbert nominated - Declined  
                                    Bonnie West Elected

Officials:-                      John Clark nominated - Accepted

Equipment:-                      Leigh Allen nominated - Declined  
                                    Terry White nominated - Accepted  
                                    Tony Rose nominated - Declined  
                                    Terry White Elected

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Ground Maintenance:- Byron Griffiths nominated - Declined  
Ray Horton nominated - Declined  
Leigh Allen nominated - Accepted  
Leigh Allen Elected

Championships:- Mabs Errington nominated - Accepted  
Joe Watchorn nominated - Declined  
Bruce Lindwall nominated - Declined  
Carol Berrell nominated - Declined  
Byron Griffiths nominated - Declined  
Bill L'Estrange nominated - Declined  
John Wallace nominated - Declined  
After all that Mabs Errington Elected

Inter Club:- John Clark nominated - Accepted

Fund Raising:- Paul Reeves nominated - Accepted

Records & Rankings:- Bill L'Estrange nominated - Accepted

Canteen:- Irene Lindwall nominated - Declined  
Carol Berrell nominated - Declined  
Pat Watchorn nominated - Declined  
Margaret De Marco nominated - Declined  
Linda White nominated - Declined  
Margaret McDermott nominated - Declined

Additional Members:- Byron Griffiths nominated - Accepted  
Ron Nelson nominated - Accepted

The new Chairman Ian Sheerin then took the chair and said there was a good blend of old and new Executives, thanks to Fred Scott for being returning officer, very pleasing to see Life Members in attendance thanks to Ald. Bryan McDonald, John Burne, Max Wilkinson, Port Hacking and Illawong representatives for attending the Meeting.

Meeting Closed 9.30 pm.